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## **AMENDMENT**

Sir:

This Amendment is being filed in response to the Office Action that was mailed OJuly 12, 2002. Kindly amend the subject application as follows:

## IN THE CLAIMS

Kindly amend claims 1, 2 10 and 28, as follows:

1. (twice amended) fully  $\mathbf{A}$ and partially benzo(c)quinolizine compound of formula (1):

$$\begin{array}{c|c}
R_1 & \text{id} & \text{QW} \\
R_2 & \text{R}_3
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(I)